

Notice of Allowability

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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--

All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to the personal interview held 2/20/07.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1 and 5.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
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4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
- (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
- 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

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| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) | 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application |
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1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a personal interview with Richard Trela (applicant) on 2/20/07.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 20, line 9, "10/134,541 4/30/2002" has been changed to, --10/134,541, filed 4/30/2002, now abandoned--.

Page 21, the darkened image shown between lines 14 and 15 has been deleted.

Page 37, lines 6-7, the sentence "Fig. 38 shows the portable emergency cellular power supply that is outlined in the above referenced patent." has been deleted.

Page 37, lines 19-20, "in it's preferred embodiment shown in Fig. 39" has been deleted.

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 has been rewritten as follows:

1. (Amended) I-claim-a A method of ~~isolating~~ identifying suspicious persons, including wanted terrorists and criminals, by providing ~~[[a]] predetermined audio-visual stimulus into stimuli in~~ controlled public or private environments in order to elicit specific human responses, reactions and judgment changes in terrorists or other criminals said suspicious persons, comprising the steps of:

(a) ~~a means of utilizing said stimuli to create~~ creating multiple stimuli points in said controlled environments ~~by the dissemination of for showing said predetermined audio-visual stimuli in the form of~~ real-time intelligence regarding "wanted terrorists" being shown to the general public in a fashion that creates further observation points for including any said suspicious persons ~~and activities that may be present~~ [[.]];

(b) ~~[[P]]providing a central intelligence and audio-visual data storage and retrieval and visual collection system accessible by at least one law enforcement agency for the purpose of~~

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~~dissemination-wanted terrorists~~ storing said "wanted terrorists" intelligence including images and information[[.]];

(c) ~~[[P]]~~providing a central processing center for retrieving, ~~the purpose of prioritizing~~ end and encoding the said images and information so as to that said images and information act as an effective ~~visual and audio-visual stimulus~~ stimulant useful for evoking at least one of ~~several predetermined~~ said specific human responses emotions and reactions;

(d) ~~[[P]]~~preparing the prioritized and encoded images and information in ~~[[a]]~~ forms capable of being published on the ~~[[i]]~~Internet and on cable communication networks for distribution to predetermined high terrorist risk locations corresponding to said controlled environments;

~~(e) Preparing the prioritized and encoded information in a form capable of being published on cable networks for distribution to predetermined high terrorist risk locations~~

~~(f) (e) [[P]]~~publishing the prioritized and encoded information on the [[i]]Internet and on one or more cable communication networks;

~~(g) Publishing the encoded information on a cable network~~

~~(h) (f) [[P]]~~providing a portable apparatus and a stationary apparatus each of which that displays said "wanted terrorists" images and information in a predetermined manner that evokes said specific human responses and ~~stimulates suspicious reactions in terrorists and other criminals~~ said suspicious persons;

~~(i) Providing a stationary apparatus that displays said terrorist images and information in a predetermined manner that evokes human response and stimulates suspicious reactions in terrorists and other criminals~~

~~(j) (g) A system of monitoring and capturing said~~ specific human responses and reactions on camera;

~~(k) A system of monitoring and analyzing said reactions by human~~

~~(l) (h) A system and using human surveillance to monitoring and analyzing~~ said specific human responses and reactions by human surveillance;

~~(m) (i) A method of transmitting electronically said suspicious~~ specific human responses and reactions to at least one remote location[[s]] for security evaluation[[s]]; and

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~~(n) (j) a means of remotely checking~~ verifying the transmitted predetermined ~~audio-visual~~ and visual information stimuli being disseminated at said ~~public locations~~ controlled environments.

2. (Canceled)

3. (Canceled)

4. (Canceled)

5. (New) A system for providing enhanced law enforcement capability and a collective public awareness environment through widespread public emergency communications, wherein the general public receives real-time information regarding suspicious persons, including wanted terrorists and criminals, in highly populated public locations that have been designated as high risk to terrorist attacks, comprising:

portable emergency display and recharging units strategically located at waiting areas and entrance areas of said high risk public locations, said unit each including a portable e-911 cellular calling wand, a portable cellular recharging device for said cellular calling wand, a backup emergency phone, and a display;

whereby the general public is able to use the calling wand to place e-911 calls or terrorist hotline calls, with a single press of a button, to security personnel at said public location and/or to remotely located federal authorities, and to use the backup phone to place emergency calls during a power outage; and

wherein the display provides real-time images and information of said suspicious persons that evokes both (i) heightened awareness in the general public of their surroundings in the waiting areas and entrance areas regarding said suspicious persons, when the general public views the display, and (ii) discernable predetermined human responses and reactions in said suspicious persons, when said suspicious persons view the display; and

wherein the display further provides the current homeland security terrorism alert status code.

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2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Thomas J. Mullen, Jr. whose telephone number is 571-272-2965. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday from 6:30 AM to 4 PM. The examiner can also be reached on alternate Fridays.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Daniel Wu, can be reached on (571) 272-2964. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (571) 273-8300.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 571-272-2600.

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